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The timely submission under 37 CFR 1.129(a) filed on September 08, 2006, is not fully responsive to the prior Office action because Applicant failed to address all the rejections and objections to this application: 1) Applicant did not comment about the 102 rejection, if Applicant agrees with the rejections, then the rejected claims must be canceled; 2) Claims 24-25 are rejected under 35 USC 112 for claiming the drawings; Applicant must cancel these two claims; 3) Applicant's comments are directed to claims 3-9, and claims 7-9 are in improper dependent form, Applicant must amend claims 7-9 in proper form first before discussing about those claims; 4) it's unclear if Applicant agrees with the 103 rejections or not; 5) Applicant needs to provide comments about the rejections if he/she agrees or disagrees, if he/she disagrees, please point out explicitly the differences between the claimed invention and the applied references. Since the submission appears to be a *bona fide* attempt to provide a complete reply to the prior Office action, applicant is given a shortened statutory period of ONE MONTH or THIRTY DAYS from the mailing date of this letter, whichever is longer, to submit a complete reply. This shortened statutory period supersedes the time period set in the prior Office action. This time period may be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). If a notice of appeal and the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) were filed prior to or with the payment of the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(r), the payment of the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(r) by applicant is construed as a request to dismiss the appeal and to continue prosecution under 37 CFR 1.129(a). The appeal stands dismissed.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the Examiner should be directed to Examiner Nguyen whose telephone number is (571) 272-4861. The examiner can normally be reached on Tuesday--Friday from 12:30 AM to 10:00 PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Thomas E. Denion can be reached on 571-272-4859. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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